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September 5, 2012

Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission Attention: Disability Rights Office, Room 3-B431 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

RE: Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. CGB-CC-1062

Dear Mr. Holberg:

Please find enclosed for filing the Supplement to Faith at Work Ministry, Inc.'s Closed Captioning Exemption Petition (CGB-CC-1062). As requested, please find the enclosed information:

- 2012 YTD profit and loss statement documenting Faith at Work Ministry, Inc.'s financial status demonstrating its inability to afford closed captioning.
- An affidavit (1) verifying Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. has sought closed captioning
  assistance from its video programming distributor and that such assistance has been
  rejected; and (2) verifying Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. has sought additional sponsorship
  sources or other sources of revenue for captioning, and that these efforts have not
  successfully produced assistance, and Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. does not otherwise
  have the means to provide captioning for the program.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

WILKINS & BOUTON, LLC

Robert W. Wilkins

Enclosures

cc: Dr. Carey Hedgpeth

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#### Affidavit of Dr. Carey Hedgpeth - Faith at Work Ministry, Inc.

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PERSONALLY APPEARED before me, Dr. W. Carey Hedgpeth, who being duly sworn and upon penalty of perjury, states the following is true and correct:

My name is Dr. W. Carey Hedgpeth. I am a resident of Greenville, South Carolina and am the founder and president of Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. I am providing the following information as a supplement to our Petition for Exemption in CGB-CC-1062 in response to the August 8, 2012 letter received from the FCC.

Included in this supplement is Faith at Work Ministry, Inc.'s 2012 year to date profit and loss statement. This statement is a true and accurate depiction of our financial status.

Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. has sought closed-captioning assistance from our video programming distributor and all stations that air our programming. All of our requests have been denied. I am including correspondence from one such station confirming they have denied our request. All other stations that air our programming have denied our requests for assistance as well.

Additionally, Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. has sought additional sponsorship sources and other outside sources of revenue for captioning, and these efforts have not successfully produced assistance. Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. does not otherwise have the means to provide captioning for our program.

Faith at Work Ministry, Inc. is respectfully requesting the FCC grant us an exemption from its closed captioning rules, as our modest revenues could not support the large expense of closed captioning. We simply could not sustain the significant cost of closed captioning and therefore respectfully request an exemption from the closed-captioning rules.

Thank you for your consideration.

Dr. W. Carev Hedgpeth

SWORN TO ME THIS 5th day of September 2012

Notary Public for South Carolina

My Commission expires on  $\frac{1}{18/15}$ 



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August 27, 2012

Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Attention: Disability Rights Office, Room 3-B431
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To whom it may concern:

In compliance with the FCC request that petitioners for waiver verify that they have sought assistance in the funding of closed captioning from program distributors, WFXB verifies that such assistance has been sought by Faith At Work Ministries and has been denied.

Sincerely,

Rigby Wilson VP & GM

WFXB

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## INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Board of Directors Faith at Work, Inc. Greenville, SC

I have compiled the financial statement referenced below, which was agreed to by Faith at Work, Inc. solely to assist you with respect to the accounting records of Faith at Work, Inc. for the period ended August 21, 2012. Faith at Work, Inc.'s management is responsible for the company's accounting records This agreed-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of these procedures is solely the responsibility of those parties specified in the report. Consequently, I make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

I have compiled a statement of revenue and expenditures of the broadcasting department of Faith at Work, Inc. for the calendar year-to-date ended August 21, 2012. This statement of revenue and expenditures was prepared for the purpose of meeting the information needs of the Federal Communications Commission.

I was not engaged to, and did not, conduct an audit, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion, on the accounting records. Accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. Had I performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to my attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of Faith at Work, Inc. and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

Daniel T. Jones III CPA PA

Greenville, SC

August 28, 2012

# Faith at Work Statement of Revenue and Expenditures August 21, 2012

Television Ministry Professional Fees

**Total Expenditures** 

**Net Revenue** 

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Revenue		FCC Mail Room
Gifts	\$ 125,366 13	
Total Revenue	125,366.13	
Expenditures		
Auto Expense	805.69	
Minister	16,500 00	

**Broadcasting** 

69,830 04 1,590.00 4,000 00 430.64

93,156 37

32,209.76